

By Ralph Cole

A new Highway Patrolman, Harry F. Heidemann, has moved to Hondo, replacing John Huie, who has been transferred to the license and weights division. Huie doesn't know where he will be stationed as yet, and has been attending school in Austin for the past few days. Heidemann was stationed in Fredericksburg before moving to Hondo.

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J. G. Barry, superintendent of Hondo Independent School District, says there are 467 students enrolled at the new Meyer Elementary building. Breakdown of the enrollment shows 181 in the first grade, 153 in the second grade and 133 in the third grade.

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The Medina County Home Relief Association reelected two directors at their meeting in Hondo last Saturday. The directors, elected for three year terms, were Otto Wiemers and W. N. Burgin. The directors, meeting in Hondo Tuesday, named Fletcher Davis president, A. H. Rothe vice-president and Jack Fussell, man, secretary.

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Castroville citizens began their seven-week Civil Defense First Aid course last Thursday night. Dan O'Connell, county coordinator, said there were 26 present for the first meeting. Meetings are being held in the American Legion Hall every Thursday night at 7:30.

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Justice of the Peace George Kimmy says this week has been the slowest in his five and one-half years in Hondo. Judge Kimmy has had 25 cases to date during January. Traffic fines make up the largest number of cases tried in Justice Court. Court cost for traffic cases is \$15.50 while court cost for cases where the Sheriff makes an arrest is \$20.

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The Anvil Herald has changed publication dates, effective Jan. 1, 1957. All editorial copy should be in the office before noon Wednesday and all advertising copy should be in before noon Tuesday.

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The Hondo Business and Professional Women's Club will present the "Woman of the Year" at their annual banquet the first week in April, according to Mrs. M. V. Stanga, president. Mrs. Jerome Zinsmeyer has been appointed chairman of the event and letters of recommendation for the honor are now being received.

Any one having a name to submit should write a letter to the B.P.W. Club, giving reasons why the name submitted is considered eligible. Mrs. Zinsmeyer stated, "We would also like the different organizations in Hondo to submit a candidate."

The selection is made by a committee and the honoree remains a secret until the presentation of the award at the banquet.

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St. Paul's Lutheran Church will hold services at 7:30 p.m. today. Rev. Herman of Knipp will officiate in the services.

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Tommy Santos at Santos Electric, has announced the purchase of the Uvalde Electric Motor Service, as of Jan. 23. J. G. Langberg had operated the business in Uvalde for the past seven years. Santos will continue the operation.

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Lake Wade, social security representative from San Antonio, is in Hondo Tuesday for a regularly scheduled meeting with local citizens. Anyone desiring social security information should be at the District Courtroom at the courthouse in Hondo starting at 9 a.m.

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Sun and Soil, magazine supplement appears with this week's issue of the Anvil Herald. From Hondo comes a story on James Amberson, winner of two Soil Conservation awards. A story on irrigation and lot feeding at 15,000 acre ranch east of Carrizo Springs, is also included in the magazine this month. For added enjoyment, read each feature in Sun and Soil.

OIL NEWS

**Locations
Are Staked
In County**

Five new locations have been staked in Medina County by William D. McCabe 10 miles S. E. of Hondo on a 318-acre lease.

Four of the wells are on the J. N. 400-foot testers in the Taylor field.

Elsewhere in the county, San Antonio Oil Producers Inc. have put the No. 2 Carleson W. field on a drill stem test. This field is located in the Adams J. Devine.

An extremely low-production well has been reported complete by Vogel-Hoyer Enterprises. The two miles S. E. of Noona, is listed as producing 1/2 bbls. daily from 22 feet in the Navarro.



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DIANE POPE, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. N. P. Pope, Hondo, is representing the Anvil Herald as Calendar Girl for February. Miss Pope is a senior in Hondo High School, and is worthy

advisor of the Hondo Rainbow Girls group. She is also a member of the Hondo High School Owlets, girls basketball team.

—Staff Photo

District Court Cases

Two Are Sentenced

Two persons received penitentiary sentences and one a jail term, following sessions of District Court this week.

Edward Garcia, case 3651, was found guilty of burglary of a private residence and sentenced to not less than two nor more than three years in the state penitentiary.

In other cases, Pedro Morin Torres, 18, was sentenced to two years in the state penitentiary for possession of a narcotic drug.

Torres is from Hondo, and was released from the reformatory at Gatesville in August, Sheriff Charles Hitzfelder said.

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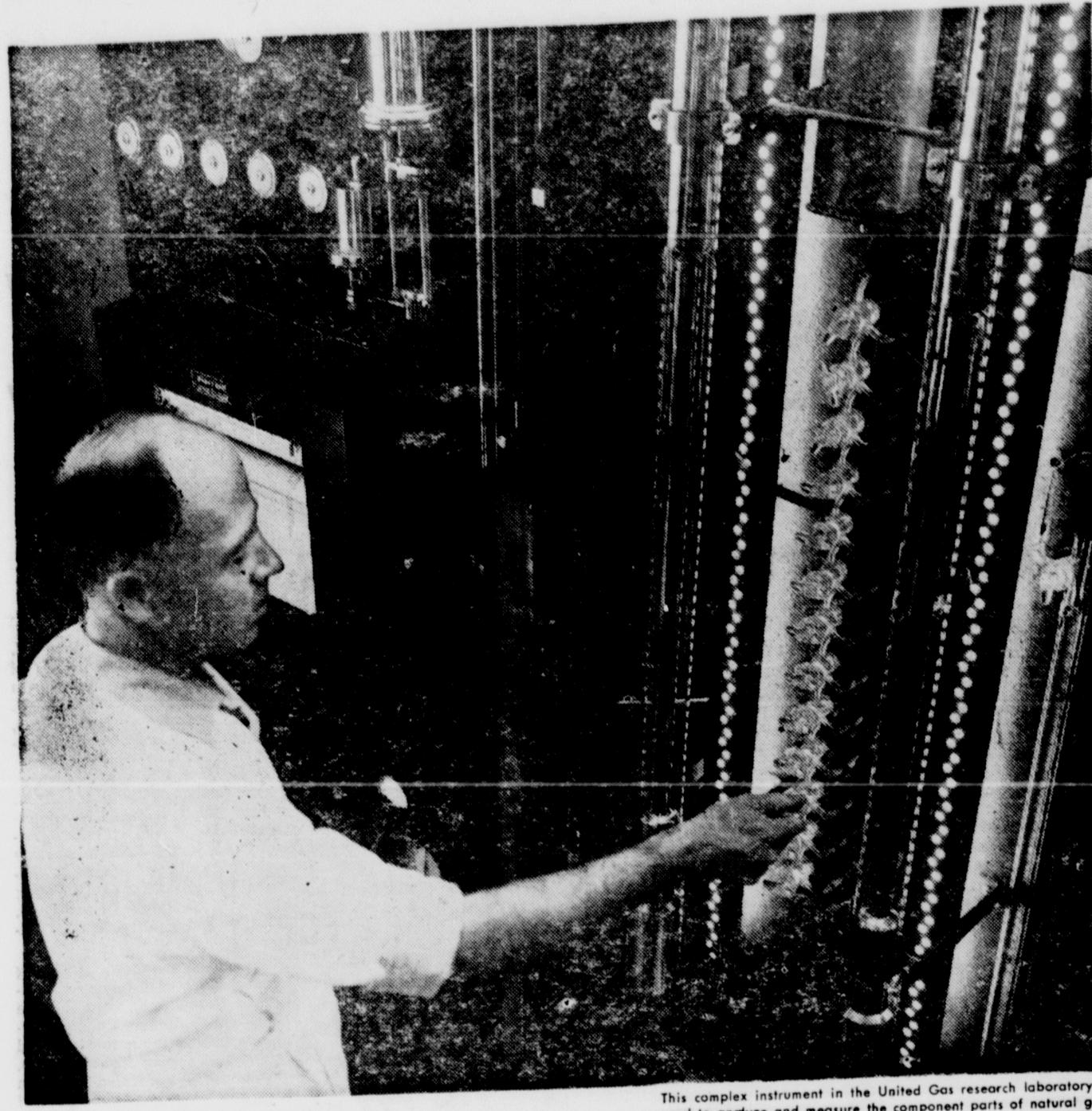
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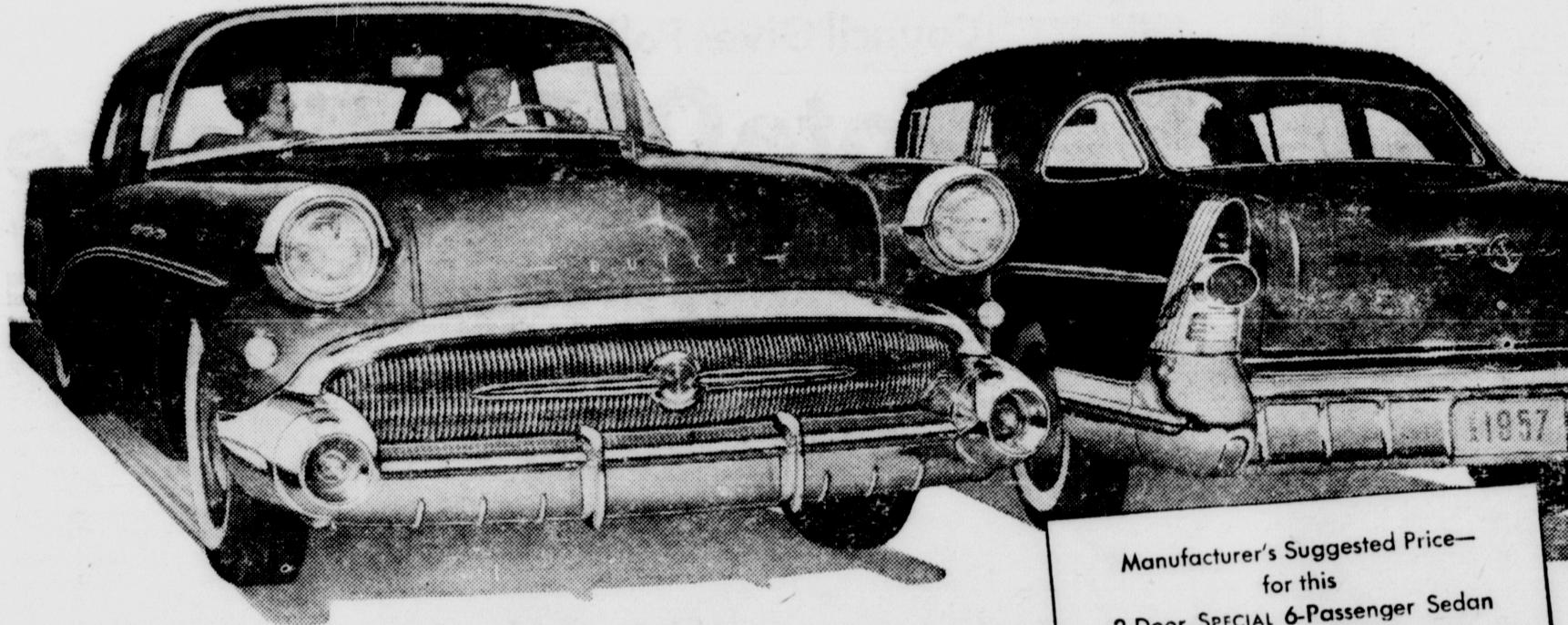
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Despite all the time, thought and effort that may be given to our problem of a failing water supply, there is one stubborn fact that we meet head-on and are powerless to do anything about.

That fact is our absolute dependence upon rainfall for our supply of fresh water.

Of course, in a pinch, and by a process of imitating nature, we can purify and make potable a sufficient quantity of the ocean's briny content to answer limited needs.

But in nature's great scheme, all fresh water must first come from the great ocean reservoirs in the form of vapor.

Thence in the form of clouds, it is tossed about by the winds until converted into water to fall in raindrops to water the thirsty soil and give life to every living organism, vegetable or animal, on the land.

Blessed is the land beyond computation that is so fortunately situated in the path of those winds, laden with their life-giving store of moisture, as to receive a sufficient rainfall as to answer all needs of life on its surface.

Unfortunately not only is our immediate area but a vast, almost immeasurable area around and beyond us, spreading in a fan-like shape far to the northward, not so favorably situated.

The hard fact is that our problem is having to deal with an insufficient rainfall.

And that is something we can not affect or rectify; all we can do is make the best possible use of nature's allotment to our area.

That is the purposeful endeavor of those who are promoting the proposed effort to create a water-conservation district.

However doubtful it may be that the plan will long, if at all, answer the need for an increased source of fresh water, it is deserving of all the effort and cost that can be reasonably apportioned to it.

But we must not forget, regrettably as it is to have to face it, that we are gambling all on the success of a venture the success of which is dependent on an in-

sufficient rainfall—with which all our efforts will be in vain and, in the event of ultimate failure—may find our last state worse than the one from which we now seek to flee!

The wise neither rush headlong into a portending catastrophe or pull themselves into a complacent attitude of waiting for "whatever is to be will be!" They do something about it!

The attitude in the matter confronting us should be that of finding a remedy for what ails us—an insufficient water supply.

The late Gen. C. M. Cureton, then Attorney General of Texas, thought he had the solution.

This columnist heard him elucidate his vision (for it certainly is one) some years ago and has marveled that others have not taken it up and brought it more nearly to reality.

For countless ages, at the advent of spring, with its melting of the winter snows in the mountains at its source, the Missouri River has been sending at each recurring season, a flood of waters down its course to mingle with those of the Mississippi, and with them, waste their silt-laden flood eventually and uselessly into the Gulf of Mexico.

Mr. Cureton's vision was a dam at a strategic point on the river, divert its waters down a canal and bring it across intervening territory and, through properly constructed dams and intersecting canals, water the greater portion of Texas.

Too stupendous and too expensive to be practicable or profitable, you say?

Well, who knows?

Certainly it has never been figured out.

If it served only the purpose of supplying the water that would remove the dangers of a failing supply in Texas it would be of immeasurable value.

But it would serve a double purpose.

When the flood-waters of the Missouri from the west, accompanying the melting snows, and those of the Ohio from the east with its spring freshets, converge with the Mississippi, below St. Louis, there are destructive floods all along the valley, below until it finally discharges into the Gulf of Mexico.

For years, the government has spent countless millions of dollars constructing dams along the river's course to protect the adjoining lands from inundation and its accompanying destruction of property, and with indifferent success.

The money already spent for this would doubtless have built the canal and diverted this destructive agent into a constructive one that would have made a garden spot where its silt-laden waters were turned on the soil of Texas, and at the same time, afforded the Mississippi valley

better protection from floods than that furnished by the levees.

Without disparaging the importance locally of the problem now being considered—how to make a dwindling supply of water suffice for an ever-increasing demand—let us not be unmindful of the course that promises the greater good to the greater number.

Let's turn General Cureton's vision into a grand reality; thereby, we may save the western hemisphere from developing its Sahara.

While not neglecting the smaller things, let's put the bigger things first.

Water is where you find it!

We are not finding enough in an insufficient rainfall!

Let's tap what seems a source of adequate supply!

Let's bring General Cureton's vision into a grand reality!

Happy Birthday

Ted Anthony Mendoza, Feb. 1.
Fletcher Davis, Feb. 1.
Glenda Marie Muennink, Feb. 2.

Jack Sharp, Feb. 2.
Luron Schweers, Feb. 2.
Aaron C. Bende, Feb. 2.
Judy Wiemers, Feb. 4.
Carolyn Jagge, Feb. 4.
Doris Elaine Saathoff, Feb. 4.
Dorothy Jean Wurzbach, Feb. 5.

Franklin Stein, Feb. 5.
Albert Tschirhart, Feb. 5.
Mrs. Marlin Krause, Feb. 5.
Mrs. Elmo Hall, Feb. 7.
Clifton Lee Wiemers, Feb. 8.

Here in Hondo

M&M J. E. Ulbrich have received word that their daughter and son-in-law, Capt. and Mrs. E. W. Tarrant and boys of Ellensburg, Wash., are moving to an air base at Wichita, Kan., where Capt. Tarrant will be an instructor in B-47's.

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LACOSTE NEWS

By Mrs. R. R. Koch

M&M Cornelius Fischer of LaCoste, have announced the arrival of a 9 lb. 10 oz. baby boy, Vincent Paul, born Wednesday, Jan. 23, at the Castroville hospital. The little master is also welcomed by a brother, Kenneth, and three sisters Marcella, Rosemary and Martha. Grandparents are M&M Adolph Zinsmeyer of LaCoste, and M&M John Fischer Sr. of near Castroville.

Students are trained to maintain safety and survival equipment used by Navy and Marine aviators.

One of the requisites for graduation from the school is to make a free fall parachute jump using a parachute personally packed by the student.

New Lights Set

The city of Hondo is replacing street lights in an effort to better light city streets, especially in the downtown area and at intersections. Work will begin at the center of town and intersections as soon as possible.

Mrs. Allen Stein and daughters of Rio Medina, visited their mother Mrs. Alvina Salzmann Monday.

Paul Bippert of the Sauz community, was shopping in town Saturday.

M&M D. J. Christilles and Mrs. Louis Lagleder and children visited in the Alvis Lagleder home Sunday afternoon.

Gary Griffin of Kingsville, spent the weekend here with Mrs. Alvina Salzmann and other relatives. Sunday afternoon, Mrs. Salzman and son Wilfred accompanied Gary to San Antonio, where he took a bus back to Kingsville.

M&M George Zinemeyer, visit-

ed at Rio Medina last Thursday afternoon with M&M Frank Zinsmeyer.

Louis Lagleder left the past week for Oklahoma, where he will attend a training school at Fort Sill for three months.

Mrs. George Zinsmeyer, visited in Castroville Saturday with Mrs. Elizabeth Adams and daughter Helen.

Dinner guests of M&M George Kunze were M&M L. M. Pittman and children of Dunlap, M&M Eldrich Kunze and son here, William and James Geiger of San Antonio and Harvey Lee Kunze of Austin.

Mrs. Adolph Mangold and Mrs. Leroy Haby and daughters of Castroville, visited here Friday afternoon with Mrs. Reba Keller and Mrs. Ernest Kroeger and children.

Mrs. Milton Salzman was a business visitor in Castroville one day last week.

Rev. and Mrs. Levi Jones of Natalia, visited here Sunday afternoon with M&M Robert Grossenbacher.

M&M Ed Lagleder of San Antonio, and granddaughter, Elizabeth Fields, of Macdonna, spent Monday afternoon with M&M Alvina Lagleder and son.

Mrs. Florence Bendele of San Antonio, Mrs. George Kunze and Miss Lena Geiger of here, were dinner guests of M&M L. M. Pittman and children of Dunlap one day last week. The ladies also were Hondo visitors in the afternoon.

Mrs. Alvina Salzman and son, Wilfred, visited at Devine Sunday with Mrs. Katie Conrad, Oiga and Alex.

M&M George Zinsmeyer were business visitors in San Antonio Monday.

LaCoste FFA Members showing pigs in the Medina County Junior Fat Stock Show next week, Feb. 4 - 5, at Devine, are as follows:

Pat Griffin, 1; C. J. Keller, 2; Allen Zuercher, 2; R. J. Koch, 2; Jerome Hitzfelder, 2; Hal Jungman, 2; Gary Hutzler, 2; Russell Jungman, 2; Robert Hargrader, 2; Butch Reus, 3; Julius Echtle, 1; and Augusta Guardo, 2.

Some of the boys are also showing pigs at the San Antonio stock show, which will be held Feb. 6 - 16.

Mrs. Donald Lothringer and children, Sharon Ann, Donna Rae and Michael, visited here Monday evening. They were accompanied back to San Antonio by Mrs. Julius Ahr, where she assisted in playing and singing for the Funeral Mass of Mr. Duffin.

Mr. Duffin was a choir member of St. Joseph Church, South San Antonio.

Mrs. Julius Ahr spent several days last week with C. J. Ahr and family at Del Rio.

Mrs. C. J. Ahr has been a patient at a Del Rio hospital for several days.

January 26, 1907

Among real-estate transfers recorded was that of W. F. Miller and wife to Hondo Foundry and Machine Co. of Hondo deed to lot No. 18, in block 17 in town of Hondo, for \$3,800.

O. H. Miller, the soda water man, has installed a gasoline engine and "will hereafter run his bottling works with power".

John and Charles Monkhouse came in Thursday evening from Gonzales and will make this place their future home.

County Clerk Kempf reports "that there were recorded during the year 1906 in Medina County 115 marriage licenses, 221 births and 52 deaths."

The Alpha Society met at the home of Mrs. W. A. Schmitt Wednesday afternoon. Present were: Misses Lizzie, Agnes and Emma Miller, Adella Kempf, Edith DeMontel, Helen Rothe, Bessie Merrithew, Blanche Strong, Minnie Monkhouse, Anna Pluck, Annie Duncan, Della Ruhmke, and Mesdames T. A. White and W. A. Schmitt.

January 27, 1917

Certain young men who had been paying their poll-taxes without assessing their personal property are warned "that the man who does not assess and pay his taxes is subject to a penalty of three days road duty in addition to the regular required five days."

Frank Rihm and Miss Hilda Bendele of Biri were married at San Fernando Cathedral in San Antonio on Monday, January 22nd.

Otto Weltner and wife and two children were here from Camp Verde on a visit to relatives.

Elder C. M. Licklied announced he will preach at the Nazarene church on the 4th Sunday.

Supt. W. N. Saathoff announces an Educational Campaign in Medina County to run from Monday through Friday, Feb. 5th to 8th, when Messers. Wehrwein and Vining, University Specialists in Rural Education, would visit five different communities in the county.

Total rainfall for 1906 is reported to have been 31.12 inches; the 18 years average was 28.18.

January 29, 1927

The new Parochial school building was nearing completion. The main part was 70x34 feet and a 30x24-foot extension on the north side make it a T-shape. The building two stories high and has a basement 67x30 feet. The building when completed is to cost \$25,000. Joe Palle was the architect and Ney & Neumann were the contractors.

Members of St. Paul's Lutheran Church installed a new pastor last Sunday in the person of Rev. H. A. Heinike. Rev. H. Langer of Knippa, who had years ago confirmed Rev. Heinike opened the services and preached an impressive sermon. He was followed by Rev. C. P. Hasskarl of Quihi-New Fountain Parish in a timely discourse.

It is well that these youth livestock shows should have the backing of the entire county. Great strides forward are being made in farming and ranching, and shows of this kind help to keep the ball rolling.

Anyway you look at it, our county youth livestock show is one of our most important undertakings. The county agent, vocational agriculture instructors and youth leaders, who through the years have played such an important role in this development, are due thanks and appreciation for their efforts.

Not to be overlooked is the fact that they had the raw material with which to work. Our youth have responded well to instruction. The parents of our youth have joined in to make the project unanimous.

We urge the entire citizenship of Medina County to get out to the Devine football grounds Monday or Tuesday and view the Junior Fat Stock Show. Sale day is Tuesday and judging will begin Monday.

REMEMBER WHEN

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Mr. and Mrs. Bonny Bonita of Devine were entertaining twins, a boy and girl, at their home since Friday, January 21st.

Fair Association Stockholders were called to meet Saturday night to look after important business.

January 29, 1927

At the annual meeting of the Hondo National Farm Loan Association Tuesday, January 12th, Louis Amberson, Otto J. Wurzbach, A. G. Ilse, F. G. Senne, A. L. Haegelin, C. J. Bles and Charles Metzger were elected. The Association had outstanding loans of nearly \$300,000.

Knob-knockers visited Hondo Wednesday night and opened the safe at the Hondo Lumber Co. and at the Miller Service Station.

The culprits did a lot of damage to the lumber Co. safe and scattered its contents but secured a lot of cash. At the Miller garage they got away with some \$230.00.

Arnold Mussman and Miss Lorine Haas were married in St. Paul's Lutheran Church on Wednesday night.

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January 24, 1947

Funeral services were held for B. H. Brucks Monday at Quihu, Rev. C. Weber, pastor of the Lutheran church officiating. He was survived by three sons and two daughters: August, Adolph and Walter A. Brucks and Mrs. Louis A. Saathoff and Mrs. Emil C. Saathoff. There was also 20 grand children and 17 great-grandchildren.

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The Herald salutes the boys and girls who participate, their leaders and parents. A big salute also goes out to the entire community effort put forth in staging the show.

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Men's Style Show Friday, Feb. 1st, 8 p.m. Castroville High School. Adults 65 cents, students 35 cents. PTA sponsored. (1tc5)

Robert Landers Given Promotion

Robert W. Landers Jr., son of Dr. and Mrs. R. W. Landers, Hondo has been promoted to cadet private first class at Texas Military Institute, according to a public information sheet released by Mrs. Hannah Willitt, public relations director at the school. Landers is a freshman at the Institute.



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HORMEL ALL MEAT	
Wieners	lb. 39c
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Bacon	1 lb. 49c.
NO. 1 COUNTRY	
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Hog Lard	lb. 21c
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JAN. 31-FEB. 1-2-4

PERSONAL APPEARANCE

By Jerry June Berger

Did you pay your poll tax? Hope so, because in this so-called "off" election year we'll have the opportunity to select a new United States Senator for Texas. Also, both city and school elections are coming up this spring.

On April 2, you'll be able to go to the fire station and vote on two different ballots at different tables. The senatorial race is to be decided at one table, and our city election is to be at another as the law decrees.

MAYOR O. A. FLY says he has "had it" — is declining to become a candidate for another term. He has made a good one, but it is understandable that a businessman might get weary of hearing about everybody else's troubles. For years the mayor has been lending a sympathetic ear without a cent of compensation.

At long last the mayor and councilmen are to receive a token payment for attending council meetings, which is as it should be. No provision was made, however, for time consumed listening to complaints outside of council meetings.

Along with the mayor's expiring term are those of councilmen W. J. NESTER and MILTON BATOT.

In April too, though not on the same day, an election is to be held for school board members. These men receive no pay. The three year terms of HERBERT MOEHRING and BRUNO SCHWEERS come to an end at this time.

So if you feel a call to civic duty, now is the time to become a candidate. You may run for mayor or councilman by filing your name with city secretary O. L. MOSS, or if school instead of city problems are more to your liking, then announcing with school board secretary RUDY RATH will insure your name being placed on the ballot.

That these are thankless jobs does not alter the fact that they are completely necessary for good government or for good schools. With little or no pay and not much prestige value associated with the positions, it is rather surprising when any candidates at all announce, EXCEPT this is where the good citizen enters in.

The occupants of Meyer Elementary School are obviously proud of their new building. This was quite evident Sunday afternoon, when, despite a cold drizzle, parents by the score turned out and had their arms tugged throughout the plant by eager first, second and third graders. Their proudness is justified — such wonderful facilities should make learning a joy.

Holzhaus Birth

Pfc. and Mrs. Guy Holzhaus have announced the arrival of a son, Michael Allen, born Jan. 14. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Bendle of Dunlap, and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Holzhaus of Castroville. The Holzhaus' are stationed at Fort Polk, La.

Bank Deposits

Hondo National Bank's year-end statement for 1956 shows deposits of 4,651,912.05. The year-end statement from 1955 showed \$4,67,759.61. This is a correction from last week's paper.

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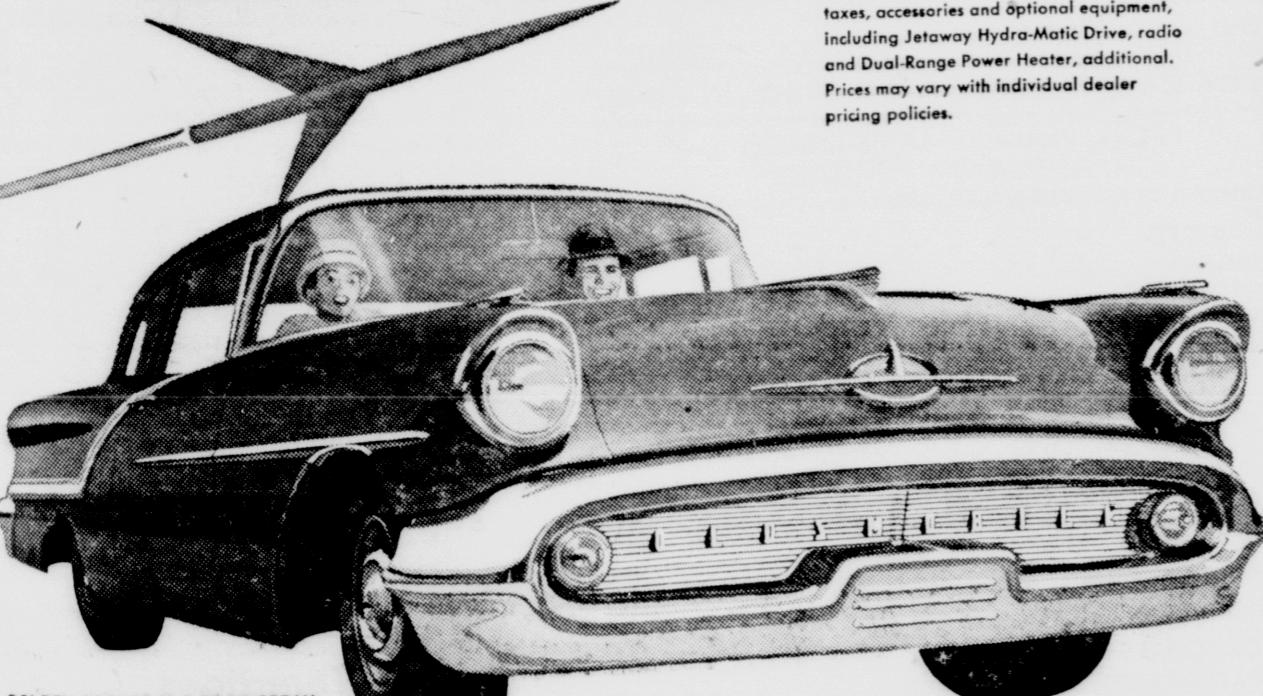
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CITY . . .

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the past seven months. Tax delinquencies show a \$1,000 per year average for the past 15 years. Bonded indebtedness of the city is \$291,000, or \$467.85 for each man, woman and child living in Hondo. The figures were based on Hondo's estimated population of 6,220.

Most of the delinquent taxes are on real estate property. Fifty-one per cent of personal property taxes were collected last year. The city has averaged 93.8 per cent collections during the past 15 years but delinquency has been increasing since the drought. Total delinquent taxes for the 15 year period are \$15,895.41. During the same 15 year period, valuations have increased from \$871,530 to \$2,525,810.

Pay raises went to two bookkeepers and one secretary in the city offices.

Shower-Tea Honors Bride-To-Be

A shower-tea was given in honor of Miss Imaeian Tschirhart Sunday Jan. 27 in the Legion Hall at Castroville.

In the receiving line were Miss Tschirhart, Mrs. Gabe Tschirhart and Mrs. Seal.

The table was covered in a white handwoven linen banquet cloth, centered with pink carnations flanked by white tapered candles.

Cake, coffee, nuts and mints were served to approximately 75 guests.

Mrs. Larry Burrell was in charge of the bride's book. Miss Beverly Poth and Mrs. Joyce Geant served coffee. Mrs. Bill Arndt and Mrs. Gilbert Friesenhahn served the cake.

There were 29 hostesses.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

Gonzalo Zepeda Costilla and Maria Villegas.
J. C. McEntyre and Kathleen Annette Gregory.
Reyes Perez and Augustina Mendoza.

HAB-GAB

Costume Ball Set Saturday At Air Base

A gala French Costume Ball is scheduled for this Saturday, Feb. 2, at the Officers' Club, Hondo Air Base. Members of the HAB-WC will appear in numbers during the floor show produced by '57 TANGO CLASS. Lt. Richard Urdahl has composed lyrics for two numbers to be done by a quartet. Lt. Gene Tolfree will act as Master of Ceremonies. Music by the Mello-Tones for dancing from 9 p.m. to 1 a.m.

Couples Bridge has been added to the Hondo Air Base Officers' information.

Mrs. Davidson Is President HAB Club

Election time again for members of the Hondo Air Base Wives Club, and a very important election day for not only did the members elect a new slate of officers but they also voted favorably upon a constitutional amendment changing the tenure of office from four months to six months for all officers and committee chairmen of the organization. The business meeting and elections were presided over by

Three Ladies Are Hostesses At Luncheon

Mrs. Walter Gunstream, Mrs. George Reinburg and Mrs. Carl E. Porter entertained both Thursday and Friday with bridge luncheons in the Gunstream home at Hondo Air Base.

A springtime floral arrangement was used as the centerpiece of the dining table, from where the luncheon was served buffet style to 20 guests each day.

Winning prizes Thursday were Mrs. J. S. MacManus, high; Mrs. Dan Johnson of San Antonio, second high; and Mrs. Fabian Garrison, low.

Friday winners were Helen Haines, high; Julia Hauck, second; and Evelyn Sizemore, low.

Reyes Perez and Augustina Mendoza.

Club Calendar. Starting promptly at 2000 hrs., the play is four hand progression. The February Bridge nights will be Tuesday, Feb. 13, and Tuesday, Feb. 26.

The Exercise Class regularly held at the Officers' Club each Tuesday morning at 9:30 will now meet at the Base Gymnasium at 9:20. All members of the Hondo Air Base Wives Club interested in this activity are urged to call Sports Chairman, Mary Carr at HA 6-2668 for further information.

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ON DISPLAY: 9-5

Medina County Fat Stock Show



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*Hear him breathe

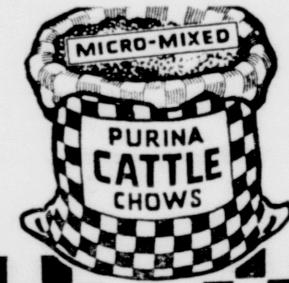
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FOR SALE: 1954 Buick Super hardtop. Radio, heater, power brakes, power steering, new tires, low mileage. A real bargain. See at Sope Tire Store, 1014 18th. Or phone HA 6-2301. (3tc5)

FOR SALE: Best Deal on '57 Ford. I will undersell. Ray Jungman. (tfc16)

FOR SALE: '57 Chevrolet. Horse-power up to 283. For best deal see Ray Jungman, Castroville. (tfc19)

FOR SALE: All-metal set of children's swings. Available with or without slide. Made of rugged 2 in. tubing. Call Fly's Hardware at HA 6-2423. (tfc7)

FOR SALE: Nearly new Encyclopedia Britannica, cost \$375. Includes case. Also excellent cross referenced index volume. See to appreciate, will sacrifice. Darrell Murdock, MO 3-2171, Devine. (2tp4)

FOR SALE: Two bedroom home with utility porch. On corner lot in Devine's Windy Knoll addition. Near school. House only four years old. Conventional loan available. Buy my equity and pick up \$50 monthly payments. Contact Curly Murdock. Phone MO 3-2171. (2tp4)

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Ten-piece all aluminum cannister set for a limited time only, \$5.98. DOROTHY'S, Castroville. (3tc4)

2. REAL ESTATE
MY SADDLERY AND SHOE SHOP is for sale. Machines, tools, stock and fixtures. Only one in county, will sell cheap. H. G. Rohrbach, D'hanis, Texas. (3tp5)

CASTROVILLE—House for sale, new two-bedroom home, tile bath and drainboard, Panel-ray heat, attached garage, price right. Tom or Ray Hoog, Phone 159. (tfc18)

FOR SALE: 36' 2 bedroom house trailer; furnished, has full bath. Save almost \$4,000 over new price. Call HA 6-3386 after 4 on weekdays. Airview Trailer Park, Trailer No. 27. R. W. Notter. (tfc9)

HOMES, LOTS, farms, ranches, business property, real estate trades, see E. A. Bendele, Agent, Wood and Wood Realtors. (tfc50)

3. FOR RENT
FOR RENT: 2 bedroom house, only kitchen furnished. HA 6-2475. (tfc3)

FOR RENT: Small storage building on Avenue J. N. C. Johnson, HA 6-2572. (tfc5)

FOR RENT: 4-room house, furnished. Suitable for couple with children. Apply 605 19th St., rear house, after 5 p.m. Monday through Friday. (tfc30)

SANTOS

Electric Service

MOTOR rewinding. Santos Electric Service, Call HA 6-2113, Hondo. (tfc10)

WELL DRILLING: A. M. Smith, prices right. Phone Luther 9-2485 or Luther 9-2230, Medina, Texas, box 146. (28tp4)

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7. LOST AND FOUND

LOST: About Jan. 13th, brown jersey muley cow about 10 years old, has large bag and large left front teat; very shy of strangers. If you see this cow notify C. A. Battio, D'hanis. (1tp5)

8. MISCELLANEOUS

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PLEASE REMEMBER: We can go anywhere when our services are desired — day or night. Just dial HA 6-2224 and we will attend to everything. John A. Horger, Funeral Director. (tfc1)

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ORDER AND NOTICE OF CITY ELECTION

THE STATE OF TEXAS:

COUNTY OF MEDINA:

CITY OF HONDO:

ELECTION ORDER

I, O. A. FLY, Mayor of the City of Hondo, Texas, by virtue of the power vested in me by law, do hereby order that an election be held in the City of Hondo, on April 2, 1957, being the first Tuesday thereof, for the purpose of electing the following officers of said city:

MAYOR

TWO (2) ALDERMEN;

and, that said election shall be held at the Hondo Volunteer Fire Department Building in said city, and the following named persons are hereby appointed managers thereof, to wit:

Mr. C. J. Monkhouse, Judge

Mrs. W. A. Bendele, Clerk

Mrs. R. R. Corder, Clerk

ELECTION NOTICE

The City Police Chief is hereby directed and instructed to post a properly executed copy of this order and notice of election at the Hondo Volunteer Fire Department Building, the place where this election will be held. Said notice shall be posted thirty (30) days before the date of said election.

Signed and executed on this the 26th day of January A. D. 1957.

O. A. Fly

Mayor, City of Hondo, Texas

ATTEST:

O. L. Moss

City Secretary

(5019)

Any banking corporation, association or individual banker in Medina County desiring to bid shall deliver to the County Judge, on or before the time set forth a sealed proposal stating the rate of interest that said banking corporation, association or individual banker offers to pay on daily balances for the term between the date of the said bid and the next regular time for the selection of a depository. Said bid shall be accompanied by a certified check of not less than one

half of one per cent of the county revenue of the preceding years as a guarantee of the good faith of the bidder, and that if his bid should be accepted he will enter into the bond as provided by law for county depositories, and upon the failure of the banking corporation, association or individual banker in said county that may be selected as such depository, to give the bond required by law, the amount of such certified check shall go to the county as liquidated damages. The county reserves the right to reject any and all such bids.

Given under my official hand and seal of office this the 11 day of January, 1957.

Arthur H. Rothe,

Judge, County Judge Medina County, Texas.

(3tc3)

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

The State of Texas, County of Medina.

To those indebted to, or holding

claims against the estate of

Josephine Wolff, Deceased.

The undersigned having been

dually appointed Administrator of

the estate of Josephine Wolff, Deceased, late of said county, by the Hon. A. H. Rothe, County Judge of said county, on the 7th day of January, 1957, hereby notifies all persons indebted to said estate to come forward and make settlement, and those having

claims against said estate to

present them to the undersigned

in the manner and within the time prescribed by law, at her residence in Castroville, Texas, where she receives her mail.

Dated on this, the 17th day of January, 1957. (4tc4)

NOTICE TO DEBTORS AND CREDITORS

The State of Texas, County of Medina.

To those indebted to, or holding

claims against the estate of

Alfred Nester, Deceased.

The undersigned having been

dually appointed Executrix of the

estate of Alfred Nester, Deceased, late of said county, by the Hon. A

Seco Believes Machine Will Never Replace Work

Editor's note: The Seco philosopher on his Johnson grass farm is arguing about automation, his letter this week reveals. We can't tell whether he's for it or against it.

The way it looks to me, there'll always be plenty of work for bankers and farmers, and while this may suit the bankers, it doesn't suit me.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Teachers Needed In Texas

Superintendent J. G. Barry of the Hondo Independent School District today urged college graduates in this area to give serious consideration to opportunities available to them in the teaching profession.

As I understand it, you can now buy anything from hot coffee to an insurance policy to a full meal merely by dropping coins in a machine, but I would like to say that while I'm in favor of anything that will eliminate work, I don't believe automatic coin machines and push-button controls will just about relieve most of most of his work.

For example, I would like to see the inventor who thinks he can shoe a horse automatically.

While it's true you can milk a cow automatically, nobody has been successful in figuring out how to get the automatic machinery attached without somebody getting up before daylight to do it. They make automatic hay bailers, it's true, but they haven't replaced the man who throws out the hay in the winter time, with one foot caught in the bailing wire. Oh I know they can bale it with twine, but you can trip on twine the same as wire.

In fact, surveying the whole field of automatic controls, it seems to me that while man has eliminated a lot of old-fashioned ways of doing things, enabling him to do a lot of things faster and better, the main result has been that he has wound up doing more things at the same hours.

It's a lot nicer to start a tractor with a button than a crank, but having swung it, the inventors quit too soon. They seem to consider the job done and go off to leave me still having to climb in the seat and stay there going up and down another.

It's pretty easy to get an automatic machine to tell you how much money you have in the bank, or when your note is coming due, but I don't believe they'll ever get a machine that can decide who's entitled to a loan and who isn't.

The state-wide Teacher Recruitment and Education by Television project is sponsored by the Texas Education Agency through the cooperation of local school and college officials, television stations, and with the assistance of a grant from the Fund for the Advancement of Education (Ford Foundation).

Any person desiring complete information about the "Let's Teach" teacher recruitment services may inquire at the office of his local school superintendent or address "Let's Teach, Texas Education Agency, Austin, Texas.

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Quihi LYO Meet Held January 16

The Quihi LYO met for its regular meeting and social hour Jan. 16, at 7:30 p.m. There were 15 members present. Kenneth Niehofer called the meeting to order and Rev. Durkop opened with a prayer. Several passages from the Bible were read and discussed by Rev. Durkop.

It was decided that the Luther League would have a coon hunt date depending on the weather. A committee was appointed to secure food when the date is set. The meeting was adjourned and refreshments were served by Bruce Saathoff and Cordell Boehlen.

NEW CAR REGISTRATIONS

D. W. Merritt, San Antonio, Ford four door.

H. E. Rice, LaCoste, Ford two door.

Max Carver, Hondo, Buick two door. Riv. Cpe.

F. D. Garrison, Hondo, Ford P. U.

Milton Willman, San Antonio, Ford four door.

Florencio P. Sandoval, San Antonio, Chev. two door.

John T. Bloodworth, San Antonio, Chev. Sta. Wgn.

South Texas Fire Test Fleet, Inc., Devine, Chev. four door. (Four)

Leondis J. Redwine and LaVerne A. Redwine, San Antonio, Chev. Sta. Wgn.

Maria Dolores Segovia, San Antonio, Chev. four door Sed.

Maria G. Luna, San Antonio, Chev. two door Sed.

Charles Marshall Hudson, San Antonio, Chev. four door.

Herbert H. Koch, San Antonio, Chev. four door Sed.

Bruce H. Dohop, Hondo, Chev. Spt. Cpe.

Donald R. Dean Named To Graduate

On Feb. 1, Donald R. Dean, submarine fireman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis H. Dean of Route 1, Box 124, Hondo is scheduled to graduate from the Electrician's Mate School at the Naval Training Center, San Diego, Calif.

During the 14-week course students receive instruction in the repair, maintenance and operation of modern Naval electrical equipment.

The course also includes the preparation and use of electrical blueprints and wiring diagrams.

County Agent Notes

Medina County Show Set Monday, Tuesday

By C. B. Gaston

Remember about the Medina County Junior Fat Stock Show, schedule for Devine next week, Feb. 4 and 5. Livestock will be brought in Monday and sifting will be on that day. Tuesday, judging will start in the morning and continue until completion. The auction sale will be held in late afternoon.

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James Kirkham In Maneuver

Army Specialist Second Class James A. Kirkham, son of Mrs. Elizabeth M. Kirkham, Natalia, recently arrived at a maneuver area near Fort Polk, La., where he will return to his regular duties as a cook with Co. A of the 53rd Signal Battalion at Fort Hood.

Kirkham entered the Army in 1936.

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HOSPITAL NEWS

Admittances:

Mrs. Jose Bustamante, Jan. 21, appendectomy.

Mrs. R. L. Shane, Jan. 21, medical.

D. W. Norris, Jan. 23, accident.

H. C. Norris, Jan. 23, accident. Juanita Rodriguez, Jan. 23, medical.

Elida Martinez, Jan. 24, medical.

Ester Colunga, Jan. 24, medical.

Jean Doler, Jan. 28, surgical.

Mrs. Francisco Pedroso, Jan. 27, surgical.

New Babies:

Mark Stephen, to Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Earl Kirchoff, Jan. 20, 9 lbs.

Mario, to Mr. and Mrs. Jose Garcia, Jan. 22, 7 lbs. 3 oz.

Mary Ethel, to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Forrest Rice, Jan. 25, 8 lbs. 1 oz.

Larry, to Mr. and Mrs. Jesse S. Arcos, Jan. 26, 8 lbs. 13 oz.

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BALLARD & PILLSBURY BISCUITS	2 cans 25c
SUPREME COCONUT CHOCOLATE CHIP COOKIES	1 lb. bag 45c
SUGAR	10 lbs. 98c
VELVEETA CHEESE	2 lbs. 79c
NABISCO—7 1/2-OZ. BOX VANILLA WAFERS	23c
TOMATOES	2 for 25c
PINTO BEANS	.5 lb. bag 59c
WELCH GRAPE JUICE	quart 37c
WHOLE KERNEL KOUNTY KIST CORN	2 for 25c
HUNT—NO. 300 CAN NEW POTATOES	2 for 27c
KIMBELL—NO. 303 CAN CRANBERRY SAUCE	18c

Frozen Food

BIRD'S EYE PERCH	1 lb. box 49c
BIRD'S EYE—10-OZ. PKG. CREAM CORN	19c
BIRD'S EYE MEAT PIES	29c
LIBBY'S—6-OZ. ORANGE JUICE	2 for 33c

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MEATS

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SAT.-SUN.-MON., FEB. 2-3-4

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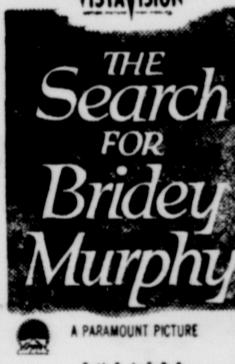
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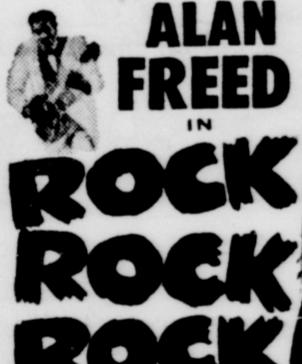
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SPEAKING OF SPORTS

By George Stewart

The D'Hanis Cowboys and cowgirls basketball teams swept to two district basketball wins over Castroville last week. In the boys game, the cowboys upset a highly favored cat quintet who earlier in the season had soundly trounced them. Highlight of the game was when one of the Castroville players got mixed up on a jump ball and scored two points for D'Hanis.

spark the D'Hanis team. Marilyn Finger, Mary Rodriguez, Linda Grimsinger, Carol Ann Finger, Judy Zerr, Linda Nester and Patsy Turner all played well for the girls team.

D'Hanis Juniors

Score Two Wins

D'HANIS — The elementary boys and girls basketball teams both scored wins over junior teams from Castroville recently. Susan Finger, Ellen Langfield and Virginia Schulz looked good for the girls, while Frank Reyes, Leo Ortega and pint-sized Toni Langfield sparked the boys team. Santos Reyes and Diego Gonzalez rebounded well for the junior boys team.

Charles Edmonson, the tallest of the D'Hanis squad at 6' 1" led both teams in rebounds. This was a key factor along with the superb shooting and ball hawking of Ortega, Ortiz, and the excellent defensive play of Junior Tovar, and David Finger. George Tovar, 5' 8" of coiled spring gave Edmonson excellent support on the backboard.

The cowboys have now registered wins over Edgewood B, Yancey, Comstock and Castroville, already an improvement over last years' record. This improved performance coupled with the possibility of a new gym and the presence of only two seniors on the squad makes the future look a little brighter than in previous seasons.

The Girls squad paced by Ann Langfield, their ace scorer, dropped their first district game of the year to Knappa but bounced back to easily beat Castroville. The two games saw Ann Langfield, Joan Reiber and Joan Carle

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